


REMARKS

In the Office Action mailed July 14, 2003, the Examiner has required restriction of the prosecution of the present application to one of three specified groups of claims. Applicants elect to prosecute Claims 1-17 (Group 1) in the present application.

Applicants believe that no additional fee is due. However, the Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 23-2426 of WINSTEAD SECHREST & MINICK P.C.

If the Examiner has any questions or comments concerning this paper or the present application in general, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned at (214) 745-5374.

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